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The Bulletin

Norwich, Friday, Aug. 2, 1918.

VARIOUS MATTERS

Light vehicle lamps at 8.35 o'clock this evening.

Another cool day Thursday helped humanity to brace up for the next hot wave.

By the new ruling, widows of Spanish-American war soldiers are now entitled to pensions.

This is the season when growers of flowers find that eternal watering is the price of blossoms.

Wednesday was the last day for the payment for the personal tax of 1918 without interest being charged.

August first was Lammas Day, the date of the old Anglo-Saxon loaf-mass, or wheat harvest festival.

William Sloum has sold his farm, known as the Kneeland Chapman place located in Shunoc, to Harry Schultz of Stonington.

Groton Long Point women gather at the casino Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of working on war garments for the Red Cross.

The bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Hartford, Rt. Rev. John J. Nilan, was born at Newburyport, Mass., 63 years ago Thursday.

A motor bus from Norwich which has been on trial at the plant of the Groton Iron Works for the past few days has been purchased for use there.

The Connecticut State Spiritualist association is to conduct services Sunday at Pine Grove, Niantic. Rev. Mary S. Vanderbilt will be the speaker.

Under a new ruling the Federal department of labor took charge Thursday of the hiring of common labor in all plants employing 100 persons or more.

In Collins' window on lower Broadway is displayed a framed picture of the various medals of the allied nations which paterfamilias study with interest.

The Colonial Daniel Putnam Association, Inc. is to celebrate the 20th anniversary of General Israel Putnam's birth at Brooklyn, Conn., August 9th.

At present barrels for use of the fishermen in the shore towns sell for 30 cents apiece, regardless of size. Before the war, sugar barrels brought 15 or 20 cents.

The Child's reunion is to be held at Reel's Park, Woodstock, Conn., August 23. All persons in any way connected with the Child's family are eligible to attend.

The August meeting of the New London D. A. R. chapter, will be a picnic meeting held at the home of Mrs. Sidney H. Miner at her summer home at Pleasant Beach, August 8th.

All the county farm bureau agents in the state, extension specialists from the Connecticut Agricultural college and representatives of the food supply committee of the state, have been holding a three-day conference in Hartford.

There is Norwich interest in the Danbury item that the Danbury Universalist church has suspended services for the month, the pastor, Rev. E. H. Barber and Mrs. Barber leaving Thursday for their summer home in Orange, Mass.

Much work was accomplished at the Red Cross room Thursday. Mrs. George W. Carroll, assisted by Mrs. Frank Hemphill, had charge during the morning. In the afternoon Mrs. John P. Rogers was in charge, Miss Mary E. Richards assisting.

The oval bed of phlox in the grounds at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. William Tyler Browne of Norwich is attracting admiring attention as usual, the eight or ten varieties in the 18x20 foot plot being chiefly crimson or white-striped crimson.

The younger daughter of Judge Edgar M. Warner of Putnam, formerly of Norwich, Miss Gertrude C. Warner, has written a book, "Star Stories for the Pecks," which has just been published in Boston. It tells in an attractive way the story of the constellations.

Following the rain, at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning an automobile dashed into and badly damaged the iron fence of a residence at the junction of Washington and School streets. The two men in the car have shown no inclination to settle for the damage.

Dairy and Food Commissioner Thomas Holt gave hearings at the capitol Tuesday to 17 Connecticut dealers in olive oil, all of whom were charged with the use of adulterants such as cotton seed oil. As a result of the hearings, prosecutions will follow.

That patriotic women hereabouts have not lost interest in the Food for France fund is indicated by the cordial and prompt responses to the announcement that Mr. Oliver L. Johnson, Norwich, intends to continue this season soliciting jellies, etc., for that fund.

Thomas E. Rogers, 65, a retired engineer of the Baltimore and Ohio, died at the home of his son, Riley E. Rogers, at the navy yard, Tuesday. He is survived by several sons who live in the south. The body was sent to Piedmont, West Virginia, for burial.

The standard working day on the New Haven road, commencing Thursday, will be eight hours, with the rate of pay for all employees increased approximately a dollar to \$1.50 a day. Overtime, Sunday and holiday work will be paid for at the rate of one and one-half times the scheduled rate.

At Waterbury, Wednesday, Miss Geraldine E. Wallace, of Waterbury, and William D. Shea, of Middlebury, were married at 4 o'clock at the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Mr. Shea is a graduate of Storrs Agricultural college and is supervisor of agriculture in the Waterbury public schools.

At a public meeting in recognition of the fourth anniversary of Great Britain's entrance into the war and in memory of Britain's gallant dead, to be held in the Center church, South Manchester, Sunday afternoon at three o'clock, one of the speakers will be School Superintendent A. A. Verplank, Norwich Free Academy, 84.

Pomfret Man Passes.

Joseph F. Arnold of Pomfret, whose name was in a list of those rejected for military service after physical examination has received a card from the board that he has passed.

PERSONALS

Police Captain D. J. Twomey is on a vacation of a week.

Sydney Ailing of Westerly has been visiting friends at Gardner Lake.

Mrs. Daniel Gleason and children of Norwich are visiting relatives in Westerly.

Little Miss Olive Rathbun of Dunham street is visiting her cousins in Uncausville.

Mrs. William Friswell and Miss Mary Friswell are registered at the Wigham, Pleasant View.

Cassie Fillmore of the U. S. S. Chicago has returned to his duties after a five days' furlough spent at Gardner Lake.

Mrs. James H. Whitney and daughter, Mildred and Dorothy, are at Pleasant Beach to spend the month of August.

Yvonne Boudreaux of Putnam and a number of her friends were guests of Mrs. Harry Forbes of Pequotuck Thursday evening.

Mrs. Della A. Perkins and Mrs. Alfred Free of Windham, Mass. are visiting Mrs. C. Fred Sears and family of Prospect street.

Mrs. Flora Berry of Providence, who has been staying at East Lyme was brought to the Backus hospital on Thursday for treatment.

Misses Florence and Marie Jones of Providence, R. I. are spending a few days with Rev. B. W. Williams and family of 187 Mt. Pleasant street.

Dr. Olive Whitford and daughter, Katherine, of Orange, N. J., who have been the guests of Dr. Lillian Lynes, of Oak street, have returned home.

Word has been received in town of the safe arrival overseas of Thomas Duane, a Norwich boy, who left for Camp Devens with the April quota.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hawkins and Mrs. H. E. Hawkins of West Okeater, R. I., are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Busby and daughter of Norwich.

Noah Dupont of Voluntown has begun work on the Norwich and Westerly trolley line as conductor. Mr. Dupont will move his family to North Stonington soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Barry of Convent avenue have received word of the safe arrival of one of their sons, John Barry, who left town for Camp Devens, May 23rd.

Word has been received in town of the safe arrival overseas of Corporal William L. Huntington, member of Company D, 302d machine gun battalion, 76th division.

WOMAN MASQUERADED AS SECOND LIEUTENANT

Beatrice Duke, 23, of Newark, N. J., Under Arrest in New London.

Charged with falsely representing herself to be a second lieutenant in the motorcycle squadron of the medical corps of the United States army, Beatrice Duke, 23 years old, who says her home is in Newark, N. J., was arrested at New London on Thursday by army intelligence officers.

The girl, who is said to have been before the United States commissioner, the young woman, who has been wearing the full uniform of a male officer, has admitted, according to the federal officers, that she was acting as an army cadet in various parts of the country. She claimed to have been twice overseas and exhibited a pair of her wrist as would indicate service. She is said by the federal officers to be of Austrian descent.

The young woman was arrested at the conclusion of a speech at a dinner in New London where she was an invited guest and at which several army officers were present.

FUNERALS

Harden Walls.

The funeral of Harden Walls was held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Church & Allen. The deceased was a friend of relatives and friends and there were many floral offerings. Rev. William Crawford of Norwich Town conducted the service. Friends acting as bearers. Burial was in Yantic cemetery where Rev. Mr. Crawford read a committal service at the grave.

Jeremiah P. Holland.

The funeral of Jeremiah P. Holland was held from Hourigan's funeral parlors Thursday morning with a large number of relatives and friends in attendance, including people from out of town. At the requiem mass at St. Patrick's church Rev. J. H. Broderick was the celebrant. The bearers were Andrew P. Caples, John F. Holland, Richard Fitzgerald and Richard J. Marks. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

OBITUARY.

James S. Casey.

The death of James S. Casey occurred here Thursday morning after a long illness. He was born in Voluntown 32 years and 11 months ago and when a young man followed the sea. Later he learned the machinist's trade and worked for Lester & Wasley and other local firms. He also did photographic work. He had lived on Fisher's Island for the past 25 years and was well known on the island. He was married to Miss Elsie A. Kinney of Voluntown in 1877. He was a skillful and cheerful workman and will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Chandler Waldo.

Chandler Waldo of Quaker Hill died in Lawrence hospital at New London on Wednesday after a long illness. He was 65 years of age and leaves a wife and a daughter, Mrs. Morris Treadway, of New London.

INCIDENTS IN SOCIETY

The Sewing club met this week with Mrs. William E. Perry of Broad street.

Miss Falth B. Caruthers is the guest of Mrs. Frank Bruce at Pleasant View.

Mrs. William A. Norton and daughter Ruth are spending August at Weekapaug, R. I.

Harry E. Kent of the Metropolitan museum is visiting at the home of his sister, Miss Katherine Kent.

Archdeacon J. Eldred Brown and family, who have been occupying the Purdy cottage at Pleasant View during July, returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Morgan Brown, Master G. Morgan Brown, Jr. and Miss Marion Browne of New York and Greenwich have been guests this week of their cousins, Dr. and Mrs. William Tyler Browne of Broadway.

For ten years after the close of the war the importation of dyes from Great Britain will be under government control. The show was New London a week ago and has been at Westerly during the past week.

BIG LOSS IN GRAIN ELEVATOR FIRE

Slosberg Elevator on West Side Drenched With Water—Was Full to the Top With Variety of Grain Estimated at 20,000 Bushels By Owner—Loss May Reach \$30,000—Fire Starts in Upper Part of Elevator From Unknown Cause.

The four-story grain elevator of Charles Slosberg & Son at 3 Cove street, full to the top with about 20,000 bushels of rye, wheat, corn, oats and barley, was damaged by fire on Thursday night that started from an unknown cause in the upper part of the building about 8.50 o'clock.

Though the loss to the big building by fire will be comparatively small, the damage by water to the stock of grain will be a heavy one and it was estimated that the loss to the building and contents would probably reach \$30,000. Every one of the bins was full of grain to the top, a carload of grain having been unloaded into the elevator on Thursday.

All the power in the building was by electricity and the younger Mr. Slosberg suggested last night as one possible cause of the fire starting might have been from one of the electric motors, of which there were a dozen in the building. Some of them had been in use on Thursday, but all had been shut off at 10 o'clock.

Policeman Ralph Divito turned in the alarm from box 14 at the corner of West Main and North Thames street at 9.30 o'clock when a small boy came running to him from North Thames street with word that the elevator was afire.

Deputy Fire Chief C. J. Connell in his first alarm to arrive at the scene, closely followed by the Main street auto chemical, the pumper from the Central station, Chief Howard L. Stanton and the other pieces of apparatus arrived at the foot of the elevator.

Flames were bursting from the window at the east end of the building when the firemen arrived and swept through to the west end of the building, where tongues of fire also shot out from several windows at this end.

Half a dozen lines of hose were quickly laid from the nearest hydrants and streams of water sent into the midst of the flames, which made a hissing noise as they lit up the whole neighborhood.

As soon as the aerial ladder truck arrived it was stationed at the east end of the building and the ladder run up to the middle of one of the windows where the hottest part of the fire was. Seven firemen manned the hose that was quickly run up the ladder and a stream of water was shot directly into the heart of the fire, having an instant effect as the brilliant flames were instantly converted into thick, black smoke.

Two streams of water were also directed into the building from the ground at the other end of the building.

At Municipal Dock.

Otis Gates Was Playing Hide and Seek—Fish Pole to the Rescue.

Otis Gates, son of Mrs. Helen Gates of 11 Elm street fell through a hole in the plank on the lower part of the municipal dock at the foot of East alley, Thursday evening and caused some excitement for a time. Gates, with his brother Arthur and some other boys, were having a game of hide and seek and young Gates, so intent on getting away that he walked into the hole which is about two and a half feet wide and three feet deep. The boy dropped down, nine years old can swim a little but the water was only up to his neck.

Paul Palas of 218 West Main street who is employed as a driver by the Edward C. Chadwick company was fishing off the dock and heard the boy's cry as he fell. He let down his fish pole which the boy grasped and Mr. Palas had the boy hauled out of the water when the pole gave way at the junction of the second and third sections, leaving him the tip and letting the boy back into the water with the pole.

After being hauled out young Gates seemed dazed with a sun stroke and went up through the square with a joyous grin on his features. He is nine years old and has attended the Hobart Avenue school.

LIBERTY DRUM CORPS STARTS BOYS OFF

Eleven Young Colored Men Leave City For Camp Devens.

Thursday morning eleven young colored men in charge of Clarence L. Eppe, the largest colored quota from Norwich left for Camp Devens on the 8.35 train. Headed by Brown's Liberty drum corps the boys and their parents were going to the train. The drum corps was playing several selections at the station and was heartily applauded. The boys were given candy, cigars and tobacco and were accompanied by a band led by Mr. Calvary church last Tuesday evening. The Sisters of Ruth turned out in a body to see the boys off. The boys received many presents from their friends before leaving.

SANITARY DETACHMENT IN WEEKLY DRILL

With First Aid Instruction—Two Officers Must Go to Camp.

Thursday evening the Sanitary Detachment, First Battalion, Third Regiment, met at the armory and held their regular drill. After the drill they had their first instruction in first aid work. Major C. C. Gilderleeve, Lieut. A. C. Freeman and one of the privates make the course of instruction at Camp Locke, beginning Saturday. The private has not yet been nominated.

WILLIAM E. PERRY TO OFFICERS' CAMP

Will Go to Camp Lee at Petersburg, Va., on Aug. 15.

William E. Perry of Broad street has been notified by the officer in command of Camp Lee at Petersburg, Va., that his application for the officers' training camp has been accepted and he is ordered to report there on Aug. 15. Mr. Perry was a member of Co. K, C. S. G. and was later transferred to the Sanitary Detachment.

Getting Ready For Midway Shows.

Thursday, workmen were engaged at the Battle grounds in putting in the tent stakes for the midway shows which are to be held at the Battle grounds next Monday night under the auspices of the Local Lodge of Moose. It has been decided to give up the street parade which was originally planned. The show was at New London a week ago and has been at Westerly during the past week.

Seven Special Picnic Trolleys.

Seven special trolleys were run on the Shore Line trolley road Thursday to accommodate picnickers from Norwich who went to Ocean Beach. No mishaps of any sort occurred to the cars during the day. The Norwich division was forced to borrow three cars from the New London division and from Westerly to handle the extra traffic.

D. A. R. CHAPTERS NOT TO HAVE VACATIONS.

War Work Must Not Be Dropped, Says National Committee.

The members of the Daughters of the American Revolution are pressing home the need of constant work to relieve war conditions and to which the men who are sustaining the cause of right in the battlefield's terrific surge.

Vacations, the D. A. R. honor roll, roll of honor pin and the society's magazine are the subjects of a special notice from the D. A. R. war relief service committee. It says:

To the men over there fighting in the trenches there will be no sunning vacation from machine guns and bombs. To the men on the seas there will be no vacation from the skulking German submarine. To the men in the air there will be no vacation from the man-made "bird" of the enemy. Surely we, the Daughters of the American Revolution, can take no vacation from our war relief work as carried on in our chapters till the boys come home.

Seventy-six of our own members, from the east and from the west, from the north and from the south, are serving over there as Red Cross nurses, canteen workers, physicians to women and children, civilian relief workers, superintendent of dairy in Blancourt, teacher of stenography to the blind, wireless operator, administering anesthetics on the firing line, caring for the refugees in Greece, serving refreshments behind the lines and acting in many other positions of trust.

It was in recognition of their self-sacrificing service, their heroic exemplification of the most splendid attributes of American womanhood, that the national congress of 1915 rose to its feet and remained standing while their names were read. Their patriotic sacrifice was also the incentive which caused a resolution to be adopted in the congress of the United States asking that congress authorize the use of a service flag for women—a bag of white cloth, the color of white and in the field a red star.

It was also the same spirit of gratitude to and pride in these our heroic members that caused our continental congress to pass another resolution "that the state Daughters of the American Revolution roll of honor pin, originated by the Ruth Wylia chapter of Hartford, should be made a permanent roll of honor pin to be conferred by chapters on any Daughter of the American Revolution who is herself engaged in any manner of war service for the United States government, service to include armed service and Red Cross nursing at home and abroad and Young Women's Christian association and Young Men's Christian association service, only abroad."

GOVERNMENT SUPERVISION OF DRIVES FOR FUNDS

Is Suggestion Made By Connecticut State Council of Defense.

Strong recommendations that all solicitation of funds for organizations engaged in auxiliary war work be put under careful government supervision, and that as many of the drives and campaigns as possible be merged, have been made to the federal government by the Connecticut State Council of Defense. Letters containing the state council's suggestions were mailed some days ago, and since then announcement has been made in Washington that the federal government is considering the possibility of a merger for the purpose of solicitation of funds.

The letter of the state council of defense points out the existence of approximately 100 organizations engaged in auxiliary war work, all depending upon the generosity of the public and says that the situation calls for official backing. With this statement is the recommendation that a supervising commission be named. The commission is to be headed by the only body whose authority and influence are sufficient to carry out the suggestion. The commission is to be headed by the secretary of war, and its members are to be the secretary of the council of national defense, the chairman of the council of national defense, and the directors of the council of national defense, and to the state council of defense of all other states in the country.

SEARCHERS FIND BODY OF DROWNED YOUTH.

Dennis Aspinall Was Drowned in Ten Feet of Water at Gardner Lake.

The body of Dennis Aspinall, who was drowned in Gardner Lake Tuesday morning in ten feet of water between Adams' grove and Miller's island, was found on a reef and it is supposed that the boy struck the reef in diving and this stunned him so that he was unable to swim.

A drag was made out of barbed wire Thursday morning and this was operated by Dr. E. L. Field of Brooklyn, George Carroll of Washington, Asa Walden of Gardner Lake and John D. Monitron of Norwich. When the body was found Dr. Field dove down and fastened a rope on it and it was taken to Adams' shore. Coroner Brown deputized Dr. Field to act as medical examiner and he pronounced the death due to accidental drowning. Cuts on the boy's face bore out the theory that he struck on the rock and was stunned.

CHARGED WITH THEFT FROM FINISHING CO.

Charles Dudley Arrested in Hartford—Stolen Goods Identified.

Charles Dudley, 30, an employee at the United States Finishing company here, was arrested in Hartford on Thursday and brought back here in the evening on the charge of theft of goods from the Finishing company. It is claimed he was trying to sell the goods in Hartford. The value of the goods stolen is placed at \$75.

Policeman Charles Smith went to Hartford with James Purdy, who represented the Finishing company, and identified the stolen goods. They made the trip by automobile.

JAMES SELLAS OVERSEAS

Went to Camp Devens in October—Machine Gun Battalion.

Thursday Peter Sallas received a postal card and letter from his brother James, telling of his safe arrival in France. The postal card bore the American Red Cross insignia and was postmarked in Washington Wednesday afternoon. It bore the printed legend "I have arrived safely overseas" and also the added information that the card would not be mailed until the ship carrying it sailed. This was safely across. Mr. Sallas left Norwich for Camp Devens with the draft quota of Oct. 25, 1917, and was a private in the 301st machine gun battalion.

PICNIC TO BEACH

Mt. Calvary Baptist Church Members Went in Special Car.

Thursday the annual picnic of the Sunday school of the Mt. Calvary Baptist church was held at Ocean Beach with about a hundred present. The special car left the square at 2.15 and returned at 6.45. A basket lunch was served at the beach. Swimming and the other beach attractions contributed to make the day an enjoyable one for all.

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FOR FEEBLE, OLD PEOPLE